



## **BEARFACTS 1989 – 1999**

### **Garfield , Washington [53023]**

Garfield is one of 39 counties in Washington. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 1999 population of 2,410 ranked 39th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 1999 Garfield had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$20,316. This PCPI ranked 29th in the state and was 68 percent of the state average, \$30,037, and 73 percent of the national average, \$27,939. The 1999 PCPI reflected a decrease of 10.3 percent from 1998. The 1998-1999 state change was 5.8 percent and the national change was 3.9 percent. In 1989 the PCPI of Garfield was \$16,953 and ranked 9th in the state. The 1989-1999 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 1.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.9 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 1999 Garfield had a total personal income (TPI) of \$48,961<sup>\*</sup>. This TPI ranked 39th in the state and accounted for 0.0 percent of the state total. In 1989 the TPI of Garfield was \$38,196<sup>\*</sup> and ranked 39th in the state. The 1999 TPI reflected a decrease of 9.1 percent from 1998. The 1998-1999 state change was 7.2 percent and the national change was 5.1 percent. The 1989-1999 average annual growth rate of TPI was 2.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 7.1 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Garfield. In 1999 net earnings accounted for 44.0 percent of TPI (compared with 46.3 in 1989); dividends, interest, and rent were 34.5 percent (compared with 37.8 in 1989); and personal current transfer receipts were 21.5 percent (compared with 15.9 in 1989). From 1998 to 1999 net earnings decreased 20.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 2.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 11.6 percent. From 1989 to 1999 net earnings increased on average 2.0 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 1.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.6 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Garfield decreased from \$29,883<sup>\*</sup> in 1998 to \$24,337<sup>\*</sup> in 1999, a decrease of 18.6 percent. The 1998-1999 state change was 9.0 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1989 estimate of \$20,435<sup>\*</sup> to the 1999 estimate was 1.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 7.4 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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